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FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY SPECIFIC ALLEGATIONS KHMER SEREI
ACTIVITY CONTAINED TODAY'S AKP ACCOUNT NATIONAL CONGRESS
MEETING NOVEMBER 19, BASED ON STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED
PREAP INN, IDENTIFIED AS KHMER SEREI POLITICAL COMMISSAR
WHO ENTERED CAMBODIA FROM SVN NOVEMBER 17:

1. SON NGOC THANH, AT SAIGON IN SECRET DOMICILE, HOLDING
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ASSORTED IDENTITY CARDS. HIS GENERAL STAFF HEAD BY
BROTHER SON THAI NGUYEN, HAS HEADQUARTERS AT CHANTAR-
AINGSEY PAGODA IN SAIGON.

2. THANH HAS 50 ACTIVE PARTISANS-- 20 FROM CAMBODIA,
30 KHMER KROM.

3. THANH'S TROOPS INCLUDE PAID THANH NIEN (YOUTH
MOVEMENT) AND DAN DE (PARTISANS), LATZER PAID BY
COLLECTIONS FROM KHMER KROM.

4. THESE TROOPS, ORGANIZED IN SECTIONS, RECOGNIZED BY
SVN AUTHORITIES, LIVE IN STRAGETIC HAMLETS, RECEIVE

AMERICAN MATERIAL EQUIPMENT ARMS AND MUNITIONS. THIS
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5. THESE SECTIONS, WHEN SUCCESSFUL IN FIGHTING VIET CONG, ARE COMPENSATED IN ARMS AND MONEY, LATTER SUPPLIED BY VIETNAMESE OR AMERICANS.
6. CERTAIN SECTIONS UNDER DIRECT AMERICAN CONTROL.
7. ACTIVE KHMER SEREI PARTISANS HAVE LAISSEZ-PASSER ISSUED BY SON NGOC THANH AND VISAED BY SOUTH VIETNAMESE.
8. ORGANIZATION IN CONTACT WITH ALL PROVINCES WHERE KHMER KROM FOUND.
9. CERTAIN KHMER SEREI ELEMENTS INCORPORATED IN VIETNAMESE CFN 2. 50 20 30 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.

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PREAP INN DENIED BEING SUBJECTED THREATS OR PRESSURE IN MAKING ABOVE STATEMENTS. JOURNALISTS PRESENT INVITED CONFIRM NO PHYSICAL EVIDENCE MISTREATMENT PREAP INN.

SECOND KHMER SEREI WITNESS AT CONGRESS SAING SAN, IDENTIFIED AS SON SIHANOUK'S SHAUFFEUR BRIBED BY FOREIGNERS TO BETRAY THRONE. HE TESTIFIED HE WAS ANNOUNCER FOR KHMER SEREI RADIO; TRANSMITTERS, LIKE ARMS, WERE AMERICAN MATERIAL DELIVERED TO VIETNAMESE TO BE PASSED ON TO KHMER SEREI; SAM SARY WAS MOVEMENT'S VICE PRESIDENT.

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